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PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED  
UNAVOIDABLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(a)

Docket Number (Optional)

First Named Inventor: Meir Ibguy      Art Unit: 3728  
Application Number: 10/002,888      Examiner: Stashick, Anthony D  
Filed: January 30, 2002  
Title: Device for distributing antibacterial spray  
in a human shoe  
Attention: Office of Petitions  
Mail Stop Petition  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION.

NOTE: A grantable petition requires the following items:

- (1) Petition fee.
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee.
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee-required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995, and for all design applications; and
- (4) Adequate showing of the cause of unavoidable delay.

1. Petition fee

- ☒ Small entity - fee \$ 55 (37 CFR 1.17(l)). Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ Other than small entity - fee \$ (37 CFR 1.17(l)).

2. Reply and/or fee

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3. Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee

- ☐ Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.
- ☐ A terminal disclaimer (and disclaimer fee (37 CFR 1.20(d)) of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for a small entity or \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for other than a small entity) disclaiming the required period of time is enclosed herewith (see PTO/SB/63).

4. An adequate showing of the cause of the delay, and that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(a) was unavoidable, is enclosed.

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- Enclosure ☒ Fee Payment
- ☐ Reply
- ☐ Terminal Disclaimer Form
- ☒ Additional sheets containing statements establishing unavoidable delay
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(In the space provided below, please explain in detail the reasons for the delay in filing a proper reply.)

(Please attach additional sheets if additional space is needed.)

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

July 4, 2004

I am a mailman who works at the Gravesend Station Post-Office located at 344 Avenue U, Brooklyn, NY 11223 and who delivers mail to 632 KingsHWY. I took a vacation on December 2002. Besides the residential apartments there are different organizations in this building. That makes confusing to identify the correct recipient of the mail especially for the mailman who is new at this position.

To my knowledge the person who was replacing me at that time didn't deliver the mail to the proper addresses in the above-mentioned building. The residents of that building and Mr. Meir Ibguy among them complained about it. The confirmation number of the complaint made in the main post-office of East Cost located in Virginia is: # 15716957

Sincerely: the mailman -

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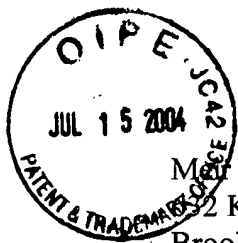
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April 8, 2004

Application Number: 10/002,888  
GRP ART UNIT: - 3728  
Filing/Receipt Date: 12.05.2001

Commissioner of Patents:

### PETITION TO REVIVE THE APPLICATION

My invention: "A device for distributing antibacterial spray in a human shoe" was filed in Patent and Trademark Office on 12.05.2001. Since then I've never got the result from the examiner. When I got suspicious about it I called United States Patent and Trademark Office on April 8, 2004. They told me that two notices: rejection of the claims and abandonment were sent to my address. But the fact is that I have never got them.

There are other stores and private organizations located on the first floor of my building. It happens sometimes that the mailman makes mistake and brings my letters to other people in the mentioned organizations. I believe that it happened so this time also.

So, please, take this into your consideration and revive my application as soon as possible.

With Respect, Meir Ibguy



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